GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:44
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SUGARCANE DEVELOPMENT SCHEME
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any plan to introduce the comprehensive sugarcane development schemes in the country;

(b) if so, the details of the scheme and the funds allocated and spent during the last three years, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government have any projects using the latest technological developments and scientific developments in sugarcane production with financial and technological assistance from both the Union and the State Government as well as from foreign countries and international agencies;

(d) if so, the progress of such projects made;

(e) whether the Government have any proposal to fund the schemes relating to sugarcane production in Tamil Nadu particularly in the Districts of Dharmapuri, Salem, Namakkal, Erode, South Arcot, Cuddalore, Vellore, Chidambaram and Thiruvannamalai; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a): A Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Sustainable Development of Sugarcane Based Cropping System is in operation from 1995-96.

(b): The State-wise funds allocated and released are given in the Annexure.

(c)&(d): There is no project for Sugarcane Development with the assistance of foreign countries and international agencies. The sugarcane development has been taken up as per scientific recommendations of Indian research system. Under the scheme field demonstrations are conducted by the scientists of ICAR/State Agriculture Universities, besides training is imparted to the farmers and field functionaries.

(e)&(f): The Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Sustainable Development of Sugarcane Based Croping System is being implemented in 20 States including Tamil Nadu covering districts of North Arcot, Coimbatore, Dharamapuri, Sambuvarayur, South Arcot, Kanarjar, Chengal Anne and Madurai with the components of field demonstrations, frontline demonstrations, State level training, farmers level training, bullock drawn implements, tractor drawn implements, seed multiplication, heat treatment plant and drip infrastructure.

ANNEXURE

STATEWISE ALLOCATION AND AMOUNT RELEASED (SPENT) UNDER SUBACS DURING LAST THREE YEARS.

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Year	1997-98		1998-99		1999-2000	
State	Allocation	Release (Spent)	Allocation	Release (Spent)	Allocation	Release (Spent)
	C.S.	C.S.	C.S.	C.S.	C.S.	C.S.
Andhra Pradesh	172.75	0.0	166.70	148.0	135.0	58.18
Assam	45.51	0.0	48.42	0.0	18.0	5.0
Bihar	168.18	70.67	156.32	0.0	78.0	53.78

Goa	15.30	0.0	12.95	0.0	5.76	3.0
Gujarat	122.86	18.0	137.57	105.0	96.0	49.0
Haryana	93.90	75.0	93.29	71.0	75.0	33.0
Karnataka	173.60	100.0	213.42	127.0	198.0	60.31
Kerala	27.20	20.0	40.38	38.0	30.0	18.68
Madhya Pradesh	65.82	27.0	106.93	73.0	78.0	33.0
Maharashtra	440.84	348.50	580.27	580.0	447.0	271.63
Manipur	12.60	5.0	30.0	20.0	21.0	14.13
Mizoram	12.70	10.0	30.0	21.30	21.0	13.72
Nagaland	16.20	11.0	22.51	23.0	21.0	15.64
Orissa	52.38	40.0	49.64	27.0	33.0	33.0
Punjab	82.80	0.0	82.80	43.0	51.0	15.0
Rajasthan	50.37	12.0	116.05	69.0	81.0	24.0
Tamil Nadu	155.41	65.0	165.30	94.0	126.0	87.63
Tripura	16.20	3.0	15.01	-	15.0	5.0
Uttar Pradesh	675.05	256.0	541.49	91.0	450.0	236.30
West Bengal	24.18	6.0	46.04	24.0	30.0	9.0
Pondicherry	20.22	15.0	19.98	-	10.0	3.0

C.S. = Central Share.